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62.13 MODERAND BULBS THUS FA



COLLECTION A

10 Bulbs each of the above 5 colors

Separately packed and labeled



LONG-STEMMED DARWIN TULIPS BY COLOR

Delicate Pink Deep Purple Golden Yellow

Bright Red Snow-Whi
12 for \$1.10 100 for \$8.00

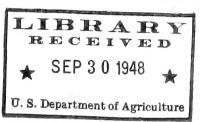
Snow-White

100 for \$8.00 25 for \$2.10

THE HOWARD HICKORY CO.
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### DOUBLE AND POETAZ VARIETIES

Poetaz produce delightfully scented flowers in clusters of three to eight

Cheerfulness. (Double.) Creamy white flowers, three 12	100
or four on a stem\$1 50	\$11 25
Daphne. (Double.) Pure white flower resembling a	
gardenia	13 75
La Fiancee. (Poetaz.) Pure white perianth with orange-	
red eye. Very free-flowering	11 25
Scarlet Gem. (Poetaz.) Primrose-yellow perianth with dazzling orange-scarlet eye	11 25
Texas. (Double.) Enormous flower. Pale yellow with	
orange-red petals throughout center. Very beautiful 2 75	21 00
Twink. (Double.) Primrose-yellow with inner petals of	
light orange 1 85	13 75

Collection D 3 bulbs each of the 18 for Separately packed and labeled Poetaz varieties \$2.65

#### DAFFODILS AND NARCISSUS For Naturalizing

Is there a sight more welcome than nodding Daffodils or Nar-cissus under trees or shrubbery? Plant generously in borders, fields, woods, lawns, rockeries; in fact, wherever they can be left alone to increase from year to year.

Yellow Trumpet Daffodil Mixture. A choice 25 \$1 45 \$5 50 5 00 with orange-red eyes; flowers have a rich, spicy odor that is most pleasing. Wonderful for cutting... 1 35 5 00

Collection E So Golden Trumpet 100 for Daffodils 25 Short-Cupped and \$5.25

#### GENERAL MIXTURE For Naturalizing

Glistening like a carpet of silver and gold, naturalized Narcissus are spring's crowning glory. All the various types are represented in this mixture.

25 for \$1.35;

100 for \$5.00

1,000 for \$47.50

#### PAPER-WHITE NARCISSUS

Popular for growing in house during winter and early spring in soil or pebbles and water. To have a continuous display, make successive plantings two or three weeks apart.

12 for \$1.20:

25 for \$2.30

100 for \$8.75

#### **HYACINTHS FOR GLASSES**

Hyacinths specially adapted for cultivation in glasses. They flower from the middle of January until the end of March. Instead of Hyacinth glasses, special Hyacinth cups are available which fit on any glass, tumbler or vase.

Delicate Pink Snow-White Bright Red

China-Blue Pure Yellow

Each 35c:

12 for \$3.70

METAL HYACINTH CUPS. Each 15c

Collection Z

# DAFFODILS or NARCISSUS

The loveliest flowers imaginable to awaken the garden to new life with their gay, bright colors in the early days of spring. They do well in almost all soils and locations and are a permanent addition to the garden.

GIANT TRUMPET VARIETIES	1	,	1	100
Emperor. (Yellow Trumpet.) Perianth primrose; trumpet rich yellow				
Golden Harvest. (Yellow Trumpet.) Rich golden yellow, overlapping perianth with deep golden yellow trumpet.		95	14	90
Imperator. (Trumpet.) Fine white perianth with milk-white trumpet. The white King Alfred		10	16	10
King Alfred. (Yellow Trumpet.) Rich, lustrous golden yellow throughout	1	85	13	75
Mrs. E. H. Krelage. (White Trumpet.) Pure white, overlapping perianth; creamy white trumpet		85	13	75
Rembrandt. (Yellow Trumpet.) Very large-flowering, deep golden yellow trumpet Daffodil.	1	95	14	90
Spring Glory. (Bicolor Trumpet.) Clear white perianth; long, deep yellow trumpet	1	85	13	75

Collection B

Separately packed and labeled

3 bulbs each of the above 7 Giant Trumpet varieties

21 for \$3.05

#### SHORT-CUPPED AND CROWNED VARIETIES

Very free-flowering Narcissus with crown or cup measuring less than the length of the perianth.

	- 1	12	10	JU
Actaea. (Poeticus.) Large, pure white perianth of perfect shape; brilliant scarlet eye §	61	50	\$11	25
Carlton. (Incomp.) Uniform soft yellow. Large cup, beautifully shaped	1	70	12	75
Clamor. (Incomp.) Perianth white; cup yellow, orange-red edge. Good for pots	1	85	13	75
Fortune. (Incomp.) Broad, clear yellow perianth with very large, glowing orange				
crown. Early and free-flowering	2	45	18	50
Monique. (Incomp.) White Perianth with widely expanded orange-yellow cup	1	85	13	75
Scarlet Elegans. (Incomp.) Perianth deep yellow; cup deep orange-red with scarlet				
$\operatorname{edge}$ .	1	85	13	75
Thalia. (Triandrus.) Small, elegant white trumpet flowers, three to four on each stem	2	55	19	<b>50</b>

Collection C Separately packed and labeled 3 bulbs each of the above 7 Short-**Cupped Varieties** 

21 for \$3.30

# DUTCH HYACINTHS

A bed or border of sweet-scented Hyacinths always creates a most charming display in the

garden in early spring.

The following named varieties are suitable for growing in pots, in window-boxes, or in the garden where very large, compact flowers are desired.

Arentine Arendsen. Pure white. Bismarck. Delicate light blue.

City of Haarlem. Bright golden yellow.

Dr. Stresemann. Bright blue.

Jan Bos. Scarlet.

King of the Blues. Deep glossy blue.

La Victoire. Red.

L'Innocence. Pure white.

Lord Balfour, Purple.

Marconi. Rose-pink.

Perle Brilliant. Sky-blue.

Pink Pearl. Pink.

3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.70; 25 for \$7.25

Collection F Separately packed and labeled

12 for

### BEDDING HYACINTHS

For garden planting we recommend these medium-sized Hyacinths by color. Splendid bulbs that will give magnificent flower spikes on strong stems and will bloom at the same time.

Snow-White Soft Pink **Bright Red** 

Sky-Blue Dark Blue

12 for \$2.30 Pure Yellow 25 for \$4.50

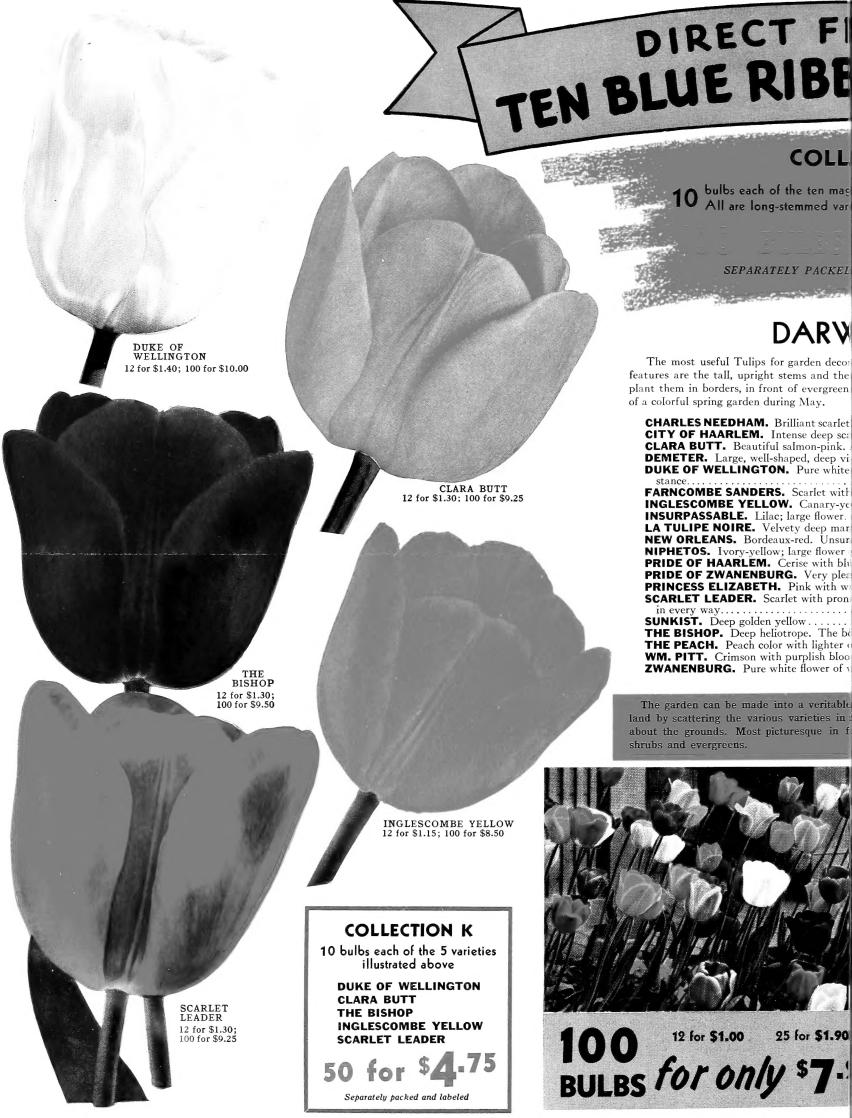
Collection G of the above 6 Bedding \$5.30 for Separately packed and labeled Hyacinth colors

#### RAINBOW MIXTURE OF BEDDING **HYACINTHS**

An amazing mixture consisting of only the most distinguished colors for groups and borders in the garden.

12 for \$2.15

25 for \$4.25



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# **TULIPS**

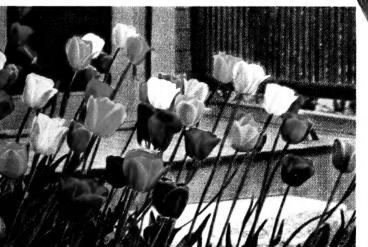
and cutting are found in the Darwin class. Typical e, cup-shaped flowers. Fill beds with these Tulips; along the edge of shrubbery and you will be assured

		12		100
e of the finest red Darwins			,	50
dark blue base			-	00
orite pink Tulip			-	25
olue flower. New		55	11	50
g stem.  Flowers are of excellent sub	-			
	. 1	40	10	00
r white base	. 1	15	8	50
with yellow anthers	. 1	15	8	50
	. 1	45	10	50
olack	. 1	25	9	00
ble beauty		25	9	00
od substance		15	8	50
se		10	_	25
old-rose. Novelty		25	_	00
pase		15		50
ed blue heart. A magnificent variet		13	0	50
A magnificent variet	_	30	a	25
		20	_	75
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this color		30	-	50
A remarkable novelty		15	_	50
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erful texture	. 1	30	9	50

### COLLECTION J

3 bulbs each of above

20 Darwin varieties Separately packed and labeled

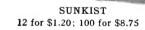


# RAINBOW MIXTURE OF **DARWIN TULIPS**

This mixture is well proportioned as to color—harmonizing, bright and striking. Besides the beautiful effect this mixture produces in the garden, it gives a wealth of flowers for cutting.

INSURPASSABLE 12 for \$1.45; 100 for \$10.50

PRIDE OF HAARLEM 12 for \$1.10; 100 for \$8.25



NEW ORLEANS 12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$9.00

#### COLLECTION L

10 bulbs each of the 5 varieties illustrated above

> INSURPASSABLE PRIDE OF HAARLEM **SUNKIST NEW ORLEANS CHAS. NEEDHAM**

Separately packed and labeled.

CHAS. NEEDHAM 12 for \$1.30; 100 for \$9.50

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# COLLECTION H

10 bulbs each of the ten magnificent varieties illustrated on these pages.

All are long-stemmed varieties, blooming at the same time.

BULBS for only \$0

SEPARATELY PACKED and LABELED

# DARWIN TULIPS

The most useful Tulips for garden decoration and cutting are found in the Darwin class. Typical features are the tall, upright stems and the large, cup-shaped flowers. Fill beds with these Tulips; plant them in borders, in front of evergreens, or along the edge of shrubbery and you will be assured of a colorful spring garden during May.

	12		100
CHARLES NEEDHAM. Brilliant scarlet. One of the finest red Darwins\$ CITY OF HAARLEM. Intense deep scarlet, dark blue base		T -	50 00
CLARA BUTT. Beautiful salmon-pink. Favorite pink Tulip			25
DEMETER. Large, well-shaped, deep violet-blue flower. New.	1 55	11	50
DUKE OF WELLINGTON. Pure white; long stem. Flowers are of excellent sub-			
stance	L 40		00
FARNCOMBE SANDERS. Scarlet with clear white base	1 15	8	50
INGLESCOMBE YELLOW. Canary-yellow with yellow anthers	1 15		50
INSURPASSABLE. Lilac; large flower	1 45		50
LA TULIPE NOIRE. Velvety deep maroon-black.	25		00
NEW ORLEANS. Bordeaux-red. Unsurpassable beauty.	25		00
NIPHETOS. Ivory-yellow; large flower of good substance	1 10		50 25
PRIDE OF TAXARLEM. Cense with blue base.  PRIDE OF ZWANENBURG. Very pleasing old-rose. Novelty	1 25	_	00
PRINCESS ELIZABETH. Pink with white base	1 15		50
SCARLET LEADER. Scarlet with pronounced blue heart. A magnificent variety	. 15	O	50
in every way	30	9	25
SUNKIST. Deep golden yellow.	20	8	75
THE BISHOP. Deep heliotrope. The best in this color.	1 30		50
THE PEACH. Peach color with lighter edges. A remarkable novelty	15	8	50
WM. PITT. Crimson with purplish bloom.	15		50
ZWANENBURG. Pure white flower of wonderful texture	30	9	50

The garden can be made into a veritable fairyland by scattering the various varieties in groups about the grounds. Most picturesque in froat of shrubs and evergreens.

### COLLECTION J

3 bulbs each of above 60 for \$6.00 20 Darwin varieties Separately packed and labeled

100 12 for \$1.00 25 for \$1.90 BULBS for only \$7.25

# RAINBOW MIXTURE OF **DARWIN TULIPS**

This mixture is well proportioned as to color-harmonizing, bright and striking. Besides the beautiful effect this mixture produces in the garden, it gives a wealth of flowers for cutting.

12 for \$1.10; 100 for \$8.25

PRIDE OF HAARLEM

NEW ORLEANS

### COLLECTION L

12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$9.00

10 bulbs each of the 5 varieties illustrated above

INSURPASSABLE PRIDE OF HAARLEM SUNKIST **NEW ORLEANS CHAS. NEEDHAM** 

50 for \$4.70

Separately packed and labeled.

INSURPASSABLE

12 for \$1.45; 100 for \$10.50

SUNKIST

12 for \$1.20; 100 for \$8.75

CLARA BUTT

INGLESCOMBE YELLOW

SCARLET 12 for \$1.30; 100 for \$9.25

DUKE OF WELLINGTON

12 for \$1.40; 100 for \$10.00

12 for \$1.30; 100 for \$9.50

SCARLET LEADER tor

Separately packed and labeled

COLLECTION K 10 bulbs each of the 5 varieties

illustrated above

DUKE OF WELLINGTON

INGLESCOMBE YELLOW

**CLARA BUTT** 

THE BISHOP



# · Genuine Holland Tulips ·

### COTTAGE TULIPS

These flowers are mostly long and	noi	nte	т ь	he
delicate colors harmonize perfectly v				
May-flowering Tulips. All are excelled				
and many varieties are fragrant.		2		00
Advance. Orange-scarlet				
Belle Jaune. Deep yellow	. 1	15		
Beautania Dannan D. C. I. I.	1	20	0	25

<b>Advance.</b> Orange-scarlet	ÐΙ	15	ФO	50
Belle Jaune. Deep yellow	1	15	8	50
Marjorie Bowen. Buff and salmon			9	25
Marshall Haig. Bright scarlet	1	30	9	25
Mrs. John T. Scheepers. Pure yellow.	1	15	8	50
Ossi Oswalda. White flushed pink	1	30	9	25
Themis. Pure white	1	30	9	25

# Collection M Separately packed and labeled

bulbs each of the above 7 \$3.40

#### SPLENDID MIXTURE OF COTTAGE TULIPS

Recommended for groups in the garden and especially for cut flowers. Their long stems are particularly suitable for bouquets. A select assortment of fine delicate colors and graceful flowers.

12 for \$1.00: 25 for \$1.90;

### PARROT TULIPS

The most fantastic of all Tulips with their fringed and scalloped petals, oddly twisted and feathered. Bloom in May.

Blue Parrot. Bright violet, flushed steel-blue. Very large flower.

12 for \$1.30;

100 for \$9.25

100 for \$7.25

**Fantasy.** Clear rose-pink with apple-green streaks on outside petals, which are laciniated, fringed and scalloped.

12 for \$1.30;

100 for \$9.50

**Sunshine.** Pure golden yellow. Deeply laciniated flower on medium tall stem.

12 for \$2.25;

100 for \$17.25

Therese. Fiery rose-scarlet; large flower on tall, strong stem.

12 tor \$1.80;

100 for \$13.75 Violet Queen. Lilac-blue with white base. A deli-

12 for \$1.45;

100 for \$10.60

# Collection O Separately packed and labeled

5 bulbs each of the above 25 for \$3.20

### SPLENDID MIXTURE OF OLD **PARROT TULIPS**

A brilliant mixture of the well-known Parrot Tulips of old, in the most different and whimsical shapes 25 for \$1.85; 100 for \$7.00 12 for 95c;



## BREEDER TULIPS

A race of tall, majestic Tulips, generally of subdued color. Many varieties in this class are unrivaled for beauty of tone and form. They are the true aristocrats of the Tulip feet of

of the Tulip family.	1	2	10	00
Baroda. Bordeaux-red	\$1	35	\$9	70
Dillenburg. Salmon-orange	1	15	8	50
Georges Grappe. Violet-blue	1	35	9	70
Indian Chief. Indian-brown	1	35	9	70
Mr. J. J. Bouwman. Orange-red	1	35	9	70

# Collection N Separately packed and labeled

5 bulbs each of the above 5

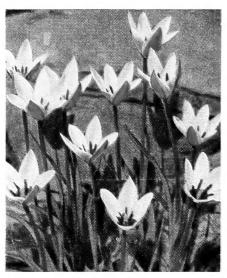
#### REMBRANDT TULIPS

Rightly named after the celebrated painter. Each flower in itself is a wonderful combination of colors. Every bloom is fantastically striped and feathered.

Cordell Hull. Red. Beautifully flamed and striped

12 for \$1.05;

100 for \$7,75



BOTANICAL TULIP, CLUSIANA. 12 for \$1.00

## triumph tulips

Bloom after the Early and before the May-flowering Tulips; tall, strong stems with large flowers.

Aviator. Deep red with yellow margin . \$1 00 \$7 50 Elizabeth Evers. Oval-shaped flower of enormous size. Ivory-white with broad carmine-rose shadings at edge.. 1 20

SINGLE EARLY TULIPS

Come into bloom in April with a riot of gay colors. They are excellent for formal beds or for garden borders. The stems are shorter than the May-flowering Tulips.

flushed deep orange.......... 1 20 lbis. Deep pink merging into silvery white toward the edges.. 1 20 Keizerskroon. Bright scarlet with White Hawk. Purest glistening Inexpensive Mixture of Single 

Collection R Separately packed and tabeted

5 bulbs each of the above 6 \$3.05 Single Early varieties 30 for



# **BOTANICAL TULIPS**

Dwarf-growing Tulips of Asiatic origin. Rare and beautiful flowers for the rock-garden.

Clusiana. The "Little Lady" Tulip. Outer petals cherry-red; inner petals white with violet base.
12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$7.25

Eichleri. Crimson-scarlet flowers with glistening black center

marked gold. 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$8.50

Kaufmanniana. The "Waterlily" Tulip. Primrose-yellow; outside petals crimson.
12 for \$1.20; 100 for \$8.75

Praestans Fusilier. Produces a large plant with four or more orange-red flowers on good-sized stems.

12 for \$1.70; 100 for \$12.75

Princeps. Brilliant orange-scarlet with yellow base; large flower on medium tall stem. 12 for \$1.35; 100 for \$9.90

Red Emperor. The largest Tulip. Brilliant scarlet. 12 for \$1.30; 100 for \$9.50

Collection P Separately packed and labeled

5 bulbs each of the above 6 Botanical varieties

## DOUBLE TRIUMPH TULIPS

These new double-flowered Tulips bloom in May. The gigantic, completely double flowers are borne on tall, strong stems.

Coxa. Bright cerise-red with pearl-gray edges....\$1 15 \$8 50 Eros. Huge, compact flower of velvety satin-rose 8 50 

Collection Q Separately packed and labeled 10 bulbs each of the above 3 Double 30 for \$2.80

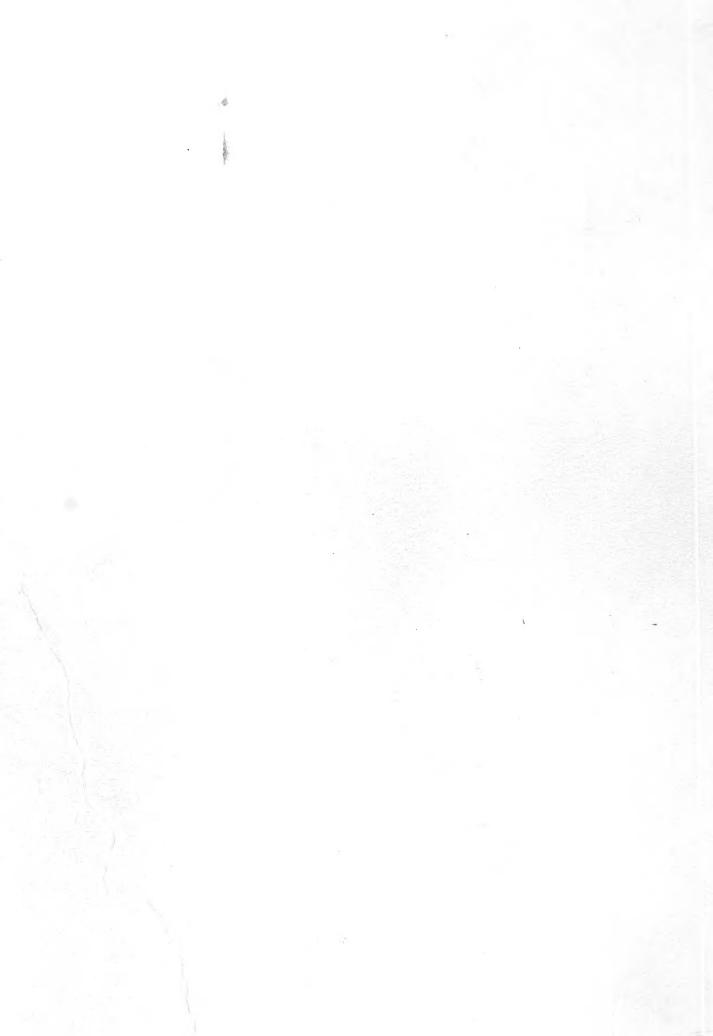
### DOUBLE EARLY TULIPS

Come into bloom in April. The long-lasting flowers resemble peonies, are immense and massive, and have strong, erect stems.

Electra. Deep carmine, feathered violet			10 \$9	
Mr. Van Der Hoeff. Brilliant golden yellow, compact flower	1	35	9	90
Orange Nassau. Orange-red merging into pure orange toward the edges	1	35	9	90
Peach Blossom. Bright rose- pink. Very popular variety	1	35	9	90
<b>Schoonoord.</b> The most exquisite snow-white double Tulip	1	35	9	90
Inexpensive Mixture of Double Early Tulips	1	20	8	75

5 bulbs each of above 5
Double Early varieties 25 for \$2.70

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PUSCHKINIA LIBANOTICA. Produces a wealth of white flowers marked with china-blue stripes. Grows 5 inches tall, Blooms in April. Does well in sunny and shady positions. 12 for 35c; 25 for 60c; 100 for \$2.00

CHIONODOXA. Will produce in early spring an abundance of pretty, star-shaped, lively blue flowers with white hearts. Grows 5 inches tall.

25 for 55c; 100 for \$1.75

25 bulbs each of the above illustrated four Heralds of Spring varieties . . . . . . BLUE GRAPE HYACINTHS. Excellent for edgings, group planting and for the rock-garden. Grows 6 inches tall and blooms in April and May.
12 for 40c; 100 for \$2.50

SCILLA SIBIRICA. Produces several spikes of intense blue flowers 4 inches tall. Ideal for naturalizing and rock-garden planting. Blooms in April. 12 for 50c; 25 for 90c; 100 for \$3.50

ERYTHRONIUM (Dog's-Tooth Violet). Plants with richly mottled leaves and small, lily-like, yellow flowers. Particularly suited for woodlands and shaded corners of the rockery. Grows 6 inches tall and blooms in April.

12 for \$1.05;

25 for \$2.00;

100 for \$7.50

FRITILLARIA MELEAGRIS. Produces in April pendent, bell-shaped flowers in curiously checkered shades of white, yellow, purple and brown on stems 12 inches tall.

12 for 35c;

25 for 65c;

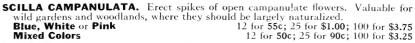
100 for \$2.25

**GRAPE HYACINTHS** (Muscari)

Armeniacum. Finest and clearest blue. Album. Pure white

12 for **40c**; 25 for **75c**; 100 for **\$2.50** 12 for **80c**; 25 for **\$1.50**; 100 for **\$5.50** 

HYACINTHUS PLUMOSUS. Unique feathery flowers in the shape of a plume; the color is beautiful violet-blue. Fine for rockery. Grows 8 to 10 inches tall and blooms in May. 12 for 55c; 25 for \$1.00; 100 for \$3.75



**SNOWDROPS.** The lovely white nodding blooms appear before the frost is out of the ground. Once planted they remain for years.
12 for 75c;
25 for \$1.35; 100 for \$5.00

winter aconites (Eranthis byemalis). They form a wreath of green leaves, above which the golden yellow flowers rise in great numbers. If left undisturbed, the quantity of flowers will increase each year.

12 for 35c; 25 for 60c; 100 for \$2.00



Large flowers on strong stems, which make them not only preferable for cutting but also effective in the flower garden, in beds and groups. For best effect plant them close together. They come into bloom in June. Dutch Iris may be left in the ground for years in succession if planted in a sunny location. in a sunny location.

Golden Harvest. Soft golden yellow		100 \$3 25
yellow blotch	55	3 75
orange-yellow blotch	50	3 25
falls pale blue. Fine for forcing. White Excelsior. Pure white		4 50 3 50
Inexpensive Mixture of Dutch mixture of all colors is very reason so you can plant them generously	nably	priced

COLLECTION U 10 bulbs each Separately packed and labeled of the above

so with a view to cut flowers, you will have a wealth of blooms for cutting.

25 for 85c;

100 for \$3.00

Lilies do best in the hardy border or among shrubbery. Any rich garden soil with good drainage will do. Most Lilies delight in a sunny location but prefer to have the soil around the base of the plant somewhat shaded. Once established, they will increase in beauty each year. Candidum (Madonna Lily), Pure 3 white. Blooms June. Height 4 white. Dioons 32... \$1 30 Renryi. Apricot-yellow. Blooms August. Height 3 to 5 feet.... 2 00 .\$1 30 \$4 75 Longiflorum (Easter Lily). Pure white, trumpet-shaped flowers on 2-foot stems. Blooms July... 4 00

HARDY LILIES

on 2-toot stems. Blooms July... 1 15

Regale. White, outside lilac-pink.
Blooms July. Height 3 to 5 feet... 1 10

Speciosum Rubrum. Rose-pink,
spotted crimson. Blooms A... 3 75

spotted crimson. Blooms August— Sept. Height 3 to 4 feet . . . . . 2 55 9 75 **Tenuifolium** (Coral Lily). Coral-red. Blooms June. Height 18 inches.....

COLLECTION V One bulb each Separately packed and labeled of the above 6 Lily Varieties..... 6 for \$2.80

## **Rock-Garden** COLLECTION W

Early spring-flowering bulbs, suitable for the rock-garden. All are hardy and will remain for years.

- 5 Kaufmanniana Tulips
- 5 Eichleri Tulips
- 5 Clusiana Tulips
- 5 Golden Jonquils
- 5 Snowdrops
- 10 Blue Grape Hyacinths
- 10 Crocus, Mixed Colors 10 Hyacinthus Plumosus
- 10 Scilla Sibirica
- 10 Scilla Campanulata

75 for \$3.65

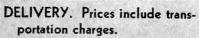
Separately packed and labeled.

5 Dutch Iris varieties . . . 50 for \$2.10 Dutch Iris, Mixed, 100 for \$3.00

GUARANTEE. All bulbs are guaranteed

to be true to name and sure to bloom.

CULTIVATION. Easily followed instructions enclosed with every shipment.





#### COLLECTION X

10 bulbs each of the above 5 Crocus varieties

# 50 for \$1.30

Separately packed and labeled

#### AS ILLUSTRATED ABOVE: 100 Purpurea Grandiflora.....\$0 35 \$2 10 Queen of the Blues...... 40 2 30 Snowstorm . . . . . . . . . . . . 40 2 30

Yellow Mammoth...... 40 2 30

**Striped Beauty** ...... 40 2 30

# MIXED COLORS

25 for 45c 1000 for \$14.00

#### FOR NATURALIZING

These bear giant flowers of fine quality, each bulb producing several blooms. Once planted, flower more abundantly every year. Glossy Purple Variegated Striped Pure White Golden Yellow

Sky-Blue Any above, single color

20 for 50c; 100 for \$1.75

#### COLLECTION Y

20 bulbs each of the above 5 Crocus colors

Separately packed and labeled